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Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration

DOT-SP 16581

EXPIRATION DATE: December 31, 2015

1. GRANTEE: Int'l Repo-Depo, Inc. Waller, TX

2. PURPOSE AND LIMITATION:

- a. This emergency special permit authorizes the one-time, one way transportation in commerce of certain explosives by cargo aircraft, which are otherwise forbidden by the regulations. This special permit provides no relief from the Hazardous Materials Regulations (HMR) other than as specifically stated herein.
- b. The safety analyses performed in development of this special permit only considered the hazards and risks associated with transportation in commerce. The safety analyses did not consider the hazards and risks associated with consumer use, use as a component of a transport vehicle or other device, or other uses not associated with transportation in commerce.
- c. No party status will be granted to this special permit.
- 3. REGULATORY SYSTEM AFFECTED: 49 CFR Parts 106, 107 and 171-180.
- 4. REGULATIONS FROM WHICH EXEMPTED: 49 CFR § 172.101 Column (9B) and § 172.204(c)(3) in that the explosive is forbidden for transportation by cargo aircraft, and § 175.78 in that the segregation requirements do not cover Compatibility Group E, D, or F, except as provided herein.
- 5. <u>BASIS</u>: This emergency special permit is based on the application of Int'l Repo-Depo, Inc. dated September 29, 2015, submitted in accordance with § 107.117 and a determination that it is necessary for immediate national security.

6. HAZARDOUS MATERIALS (49 CFR 172.101):

Hazardous Materials Description			
Proper shipping name	Hazard Class/ Division	Identi- fication Number	Packing Group
Ammunition, incendiary with or without burster, expelling charge or propelling charge ¹	1.4G	UN0300	II
Ammunition, smoke, white phosphorus with burster, expelling charge, or propelling charge ²	1.3н	UN0246	II
Cartridges for weapons, with bursting charge ³	1.1E	UN0006	II
Cartridges for weapons, with bursting charge ⁴	1.2E	UN0321	II
Grenades, hand or rifle, with bursting charge ⁵	1.2D	UN0292	II
Projectiles, with bursting charge ⁶	1.1F	UN0167	II

¹ EX2015070126, ² EX201570133, ³ EX2015070128 ⁴ EX2015070132, ⁵ EX2015070130, ⁶ EX2015070129

7. SAFETY CONTROL MEASURES:

- a. <u>Packaging</u> All packaging will comply with the prescriptions of the EX approvals for those materials, if applicable.
- b. Transportation is authorized from Bourgas, Bulgaria to Waller, TX.
- c. <u>Authorized aircraft</u> If transported by cargo air, the aircraft must be owned and operated by Atlas Air and must be authorized by a FAA operations certificate.
- d. Maxium weight Not more than 9,450 kg of net explosive

weight may be transported.

e. <u>Seperation of explosives</u> - Carriage of explosives under this special permit is subject to the same limitations and conditions specified for their transportation by motor vehicle § 177.835(g). In addition, explosives of Compatibility Group E, D, and F should be secured in a location separated to the maximum extent possible from explosives of Compatibility Group G.

8. SPECIAL PROVISIONS:

- a. A current copy of this special permit must be maintained at each facility where the package is offered or reoffered for transportation.
- b. The air carrier for each shipment must hold a valid special permit authorizing the transportation of the Class 1 material by cargo aircraft.
- 9. MODES OF TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZED: Cargo aircraft.
- 10. MODAL REQUIREMENTS: A current copy of this special permit must be carried aboard each cargo aircraft used to transport packages covered by this special permit. The shipper must furnish a copy of this special permit to the air carrier before or at the time the shipment is tendered.
- 11. <u>COMPLIANCE</u>: Failure by a person to comply with any of the following may result in suspension or revocation of this special permit and penalties prescribed by the Federal hazardous materials transportation law, 49 U.S.C. 5101 <u>et</u> seq:
 - o All terms and conditions prescribed in this special permit and the Hazardous Materials Regulations, 49 CFR Parts 171-180.
 - o Persons operating under the terms of this special permit must comply with the security plan requirement in Subpart I of Part 172 of the HMR, when applicable.
 - o Registration required by $$107.601 \text{ } \underline{\text{et seq.}}$, when applicable.

Each "Hazmat employee", as defined in § 171.8, who performs a function subject to this special permit must receive training on the requirements and conditions of this special

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permit in addition to the training required by §§ 172.700 through 172.704.

No person may use or apply this special permit, including display of its number, when this special permit has expired or is otherwise no longer in effect.

Under Title VII of the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU)- "The Hazardous Materials Safety and Security Reauthorization Act of 2005" (Pub. L. 109-59), 119 Stat. 1144 (August 10, 2005), amended the Federal hazardous materials transportation law by changing the term "exemption" to "special permit" and authorizes a special permit to be granted up to two years for new special permits and up to four years for renewals.

12. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS: Shipments or operations conducted under this special permit are subject to the Hazardous Materials Incident Reporting requirements specified in 49 CFR §§ 171.15 Immediate notice of certain hazardous materials incidents, and 171.16 Detailed hazardous materials incident reports. In addition, the grantee(s) of this special permit must notify the Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety, in writing, of any incident involving a package, shipment or operation conducted under terms of this special permit.

Issued in Washington, D.C.:

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for Dr. Magdy El-Sibaie

Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety

Address all inquiries to: Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety, Pipeline and Hazardous Material Safety Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation, East Building PHH-30, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, Southeast, Washington, D.C. 20590.

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Copies of this special permit may be obtained by accessing the Hazardous Materials Safety Homepage at http://hazmat.dot.gov/sp_app/special_permits/spec_perm_index.htm Photo reproductions and legible reductions of this special permit are permitted. Any alteration of this special permit is prohibited.

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